

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER C.F.R. 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**16469.1**

In Re Application Of: **Qi Gao**

Application No. <b>10/596,374</b>	Filing Date <b>06/09/2006</b>	Examiner <b>Nirav G. Patel</b>	Customer No. <b>022913</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2624</b>	Confirmation No. <b>5830</b>
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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FACIAL IMAGE ACQUISITION AND RECOGNITION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 19, 2009 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One Month       Two Months       Three Months       Four Months       Five Months

from: September 19, 2009      until: November 19, 2009

The fee for the extension of time is \$490.00 and is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **23-3178**.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **23-3178**.

Payment by credit card.

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/Carl T. Reed/Reg. #45454

*Signature*

Dated: November 12, 2009

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